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Introduced by Sen. KRUGER -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Elections

AN ACT to amend the election law, in relation to disqualification of candidates who fail to file personal financial disclosure statements

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The election law is amended by adding a new section 6-123 to read as follows:

S 6-123. DESIGNATION OR NOMINATION; DISQUALIFICATION FOR FAILURE TO FILE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE. A PERSON SHALL BE DISQUALIFIED FROM AN ELECTION FOR WHICH THE FILING OF AN ANNUAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISION TWO OF SECTION SEVENTY-THREE-A OF THE PUBLIC OFFICERS LAW, IF SUCH PERSON FAILS TO MAKE A TIMELY FILING OF SUCH STATEMENT, AS REQUIRED BY SUCH SUBDIVISION. VACANCIES CAUSED BY DISQUALIFICATION PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION SHALL BE FILLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTIONS 6-148, 6-150 AND 6-152 OF THIS ARTICLE.

S 2. This act shall take effect on the thirtieth day after it shall have become a law and shall apply to violations of subdivision 2 of section 73-a of the public officers law existing on or occurring after the effective date of this act.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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